

STATUS OF NATIONAL HERITAGE BILLS INTRODUCED

(October 22, 2008)

Key: s = senate bill
 h = house bill
 bills in red were enacted

NATIONAL HERITAGE AREA BILLS INTRODUCED, 110th CONGRESS, BY TYPE

Program legislation

National Heritage Areas Partnership Act (S. 278, S. 3213, Title VIII, Subtitle A)

National heritage area study bills

Abraham Lincoln sites in Kentucky (no stand-alone bill)-Signed into law on May 8, 2008, as part of Public Law 110-229, Title IV, Subtitle F

Black Metropolis District National Heritage Area, IL (H.R. 5505)

Chattahoochee Trace National Heritage Corridor, AL + GA (S. 637, H.R. 1408)

Columbia-Pacific National Heritage Area, WA + OR (H.R. 407, S. 257)-signed into law on May 8, 2008, as part of Public Law 110-229, Title IV, Subtitle F

Northeastern North Carolina Heritage Area, NC (H.R. 4285)

Northern Neck National Heritage Area, VA (H.R. 105, S. 3039)

TOTAL: 8 study bills introduced on 6 areas

National heritage area designation bills

Abraham Lincoln National Heritage Area, IL (H.R. 1625, S. 955) - signed into law on May 8, 2008, as part of Public Law 110-229, Title IV, Subtitle C

Baltimore National Heritage Area, MD (H.R. 5279, S. 2604)-

Freedom's Way National Heritage Area, MA, NH (H.R.1297, S. 827)

Journey Through Hallowed Ground National Heritage Area, VA, MD, WV, PA (S. 289, H.R. 319, H.R. 1270)-signed into law on May 8, 2008, as part of Public Law 110-229, Title IV, Subtitle A

Kenai Mountains-Turnagain Arm National Forest Heritage Area, AK (S. 3045)

Kentucky Artisan Heritage Trails National Heritage Area, KY (H.R. 646)

Land Between the Rivers National Heritage Area, IL (H.R. 929, S. 956)

Mississippi Delta National Heritage Area, MS (S. 2512)(H.R. 4457)

Mississippi Hills National Heritage Area, MS (S. 2254)(H.R. 4457)

Muscle Shoals National Heritage Area, AL (H.R. 1145)

Niagara Falls National Heritage Area, NY (H.R. 713, S. 800)-signed into law on May 8, 2008, as part of Public Law 110-229, Title IV, Subtitle B

Northern Plains Heritage Area, ND (S. 2098, H.R. 6678)

Ocmulgee National Heritage Corridor, GA (H.R. 2998)

Sangre de Cristo National Heritage Area, CO (S. 443, H.R. 859)

Santa Cruz National Heritage Area, AZ (H.R. 1885)

South Park National Heritage Area, CO (S. 444, H.R. 3335)

Susquehanna Gateway National Heritage Area (S. 3619)

TOTAL: 28 designation bills introduced on 17 areas

Bill related to existing national heritage areas

Cache La Poudre River Corridor Act, amendments, CO, re-establish area and fix problems (S. 128, H.R. 591)

Cane River National Heritage Area, reauthorize commission and expand boundaries, Louisiana (S. 3448)

Quinebaug and Shetucket Rivers Valley National Heritage Corridor, amendments, extend authorization until 2015, increase authorization to \$15 million (S. 1182, H.R. 1949)-

Rivers of Steel National Heritage Area, amendment to include Butler County, PA (H.R. 1083)- signed into law on May 8, 2008, as part of Public Law 110-229, Title IV, Subtitle E

Delaware and Lehigh National Heritage Corridor, amendments re: local coordinating entity (H.R. 3809)

Omnibus heritage bills

National Heritage Areas and National Heritage Corridors Technical Corrections Act (S. 817, H.R. 1483)

Natural Resource Projects and Programs Authorizations (S. 2180)

National Forests, Parks, Public Land and Reclamation Projects Authorization Act (S. 2483, S. 2616)

Consolidated Natural Resources Act of 2008 (S. 2739)—Signed into law on May 8, 2008, Public Law 110-229; authorized 3 new NHAs, 2 studies, technical corrections for 4 areas, and increased authorizations from \$10 to \$15 million and added an evaluation requirement for 9 NHAs.

Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2008 (S. 3213)—Includes program legislation, 10 new areas, 2 studies, 4 technical corrections

Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2008 (amendment to H.R. 5151)—Includes 9 new areas and one reauthorization (Cache La Poudre), 2 studies, 4 technical corrections

Other heritage-related bills

A bill to require that citizens within a NHA are informed of the designation and that government officials must receive permission to enter private property, “No Trespassing Act of 2008” (S. 2808, S. 2807, title IV)

A bill to ensure that there are no adverse effects of a NHA designation to local communities and homeowners, “Do No Harm Act of 2008” (S. 2809, S. 2807, Title VI)